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1. [ ] LIAISON Talked to Walt Ramsay, Administrative Assistant to Senator Harrison A. Williams (D., N.J.), and advised him of the upcoming briefing regarding China for Senator Dale L. Bumpers (D., Ark.), one of the Senators of the Williams Delegation travelling to the PRC. This briefing had been orchestrated by Mike Oksenberg, NSC staff.

I also reaffirmed Senator Williams' interest in getting a pre-trip briefing but Ramsay was not sure how many other Senators will be available. Ramsay did say that Senator Williams will not be available for another week or so and that the trip itself had been put off until 1 December.

I told him again about Dr. Joseph R. Quinn at NIH, who would be an excellent source of information on the subject of health.

2. [ ] LIAISON Called Gary Caruso, on the staff of Representative Austin J. Murphy (D., Pa.), regarding the letter from the Congressman of 9 November requesting documents from the DOCEX listing. I told him it would take three to four weeks to complete this request. He said that if the Congressman had the documents during the first week of December that would be fine. NFAC/CSS is working on this requirement.

3. [ ] LIAISON Called Bob Flanegin, INR, Department of State, to discuss Representative Bill D. Burlison's (D., Mo.) trip to Latin America. He told me that the Department of State has not yet sent a cable to the respective embassies but would do so shortly. He also agreed to pull together Department of State's contribution to the pre-trip briefing package for Mr. Burlison and get it to me as soon as possible.

4. [ ] LIAISON Saw Loch Johnson, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who provided me with a copy of a letter he had received from the editor of the Daily Cardinal, a student newspaper at the University of Wisconsin. Mr. Johnson asked me to look into the status of the Daily Cardinal FOIA request. I have passed this on to [ ] of our office. 25X